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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Ryo Kubota et al.
Application No. : 10/618,076
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For : METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR EXTENDED IN VITRO
CULTURE OF NEURONAL CELLS

Examiner : Stephen Gucker
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Docket No. : 100118.401
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Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to an Office Action containing a Restriction Requirement, dated June 15, 2006, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on August 15, 2006. A Petition for an Extension of Time and the requisite fee are enclosed.

Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-14 (directed to a cell culture system and method of producing the cell culture system), for examination at this time. Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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